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1. SET FORTH BELOW AS PARA 2 IS DRAFT RES E/L.1712 ON
SUBJECT AGENDA ITEM, DISTRIBUTED AT MAY 5 ECOSOC
PLENARY MEETING. APPRECIATE DEPARTMENT COMMENTS.

2. QUOTE

THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL,
CONSIDERING THAT THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF MAGAGASCAR
HAS RECENTLY SUFFERED THE EFFECTS OF TROPICAL CYCLONES
WHICH HAVE CAUSED LOSSES IN HUMAN LIFE AND CONSIDERABLE
DAMAGE TO THE ECONOMY OF THE COUNTRY,
HAVING HEARD THE STATEMENT OF THE MALAGASY DELEGATION
ON THE PERIODICITY AND FREQUENCY OF THE CYCLONES WHICH
AFFECT THE COUNTRIES SITUATED IN THE SOUTH-WESTERN PART
OF THE INDIAN OCEAN AND ON THE MICRO-CLIMATE FACTORS PEC-
ULIAR TO MAGAGASCAR WHOSE SOUTHERN REGIONS HAVE BEEN AFFECTED
BY A PROLONGED DROUGHT,
RECOGNIZING THAT CLIMATIC HAZARDS CREATE IN COUNTRIES
SUBJECT TO SEASONAL DISASTERS EMERGENCY SITUATIONS HAVING
ECONOMIC, SOCIAL AND STRUCTURAL CONSEQUENCES WHICH
SERIOUSLY AFFECT DEVELOPMENT,
RECALLING THE RESOLUTIONS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AND OF
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THE ECONOMICAND SOCIAL COUNCIL CONCERNING ASSISTANCE

IN CASES OF NATURAL DISASTER, PARTICULARLY GENERAL ASSEMBLY
RESOLUTIONS 2816 (XXVI) OF 14 DECEMBER 1971, 2959
(XXVII) OF 12 DECEMBER 1972, 3243 (XXIX) OF 29 NOVEMBER 1974,
3440 (XXX) OF 9 DECEMBER 1975 AND 3510 (XXX) OF 15 DECEMBER
1975 AND ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL RESOLUTION 1891 (LVII)
OF 31 JULY 1974,
RECALLING ALSO GENERAL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 3202 (S-VI),
OF 1 MAY 1974, CONCERNING THE PROGRAMME OF ACTION ON THE
ESTABLISHMENT OF A NEW INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC ORDER AND IN
PARTICULAR SECTION X DEALING WITH THE SPECIAL PROGRAMME,
RECALLING ALSO RESOLUTION 3362(S-VII) BY WHICH THE
GENERAL ASSEMBLY, INTER ALIA, ADDRESSED AN APPEAL TO
THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY TO GIVE SPECIAL ATTENTION
TO THE PHENOMENA OF NATURAL CATASTROPHES,
TAKING INTO ACCOUNT THE FACT THAT THE ASSISTANCE PROVIDED TO
ALL MEMBER STATES STRICKEN BY NATURAL DISASTERS IS
AN EXPRESSION OF THE PRINCIPLE OF INTERNATIONAL SOLIDARITY
EMBODIED IN THE CHARTER OF THE UNITED NATIONS,
NOTING WITH SATISFACTION THE ASSISTANCE PROVIDED BY
SEVERAL COUNTRIES AND INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS TO MEET
THE MOST URGENT NEEDS,
NOTING ALSO THE VIGOROUS EFFORTS MADE BY THE MALAGASY GOVERN-
MENT TO RELIEVE THE SUFFERING OF THE VICTIMS OF THE CYCLONES
AND OF THE DROUGHT,

1. EXPRESSES ITS PROFOUND SYMPATHY WITH THE PEOPLE
AND GOVERNMENT OF MAGAGASCAR FOR THE LOSSES IN HUMAN LIFE
AND FOR THE SERIOUS DAMAGE WHICH THE CYCLONES AND DROUGHT HAVE
CAUSED TO THE MALAGASY ECONOMY;
2. URGES ALL MEMBER STATES TO PARTICIPATE IN FIRST-AID
OPERATIONS AND, IF POSSIBLE, TO INTENSIFY THEIR EFFORTS
AND CO-OPERATION WITH A VIEW TO INSTITUTING MEDIUM-TERM AND
LONG-TERM MEASURES FOR THE RECOVERY AND RECONSTRUCTION OF
THE AREAS AFFECTED BY THE CYCLONES AND DROUGHT;
3. REQUESTS ALL INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS AND VOLUNTARY
INSTITUTIONS, PARTICULARLY THOSE MOST DIRECTLY CONCERNED, TO
LEND THEIR SUPPORT AND ASSISTANCE, WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK
OF THEIR RESPECTIVE PROGRAMMES, TO ALL THE EFFORTS UNDERTAKEN
BY THE SECRETARY-GENERAL AND BY THE UNITED NATIONS DISASTER
RELIEF CO-ORDINATOR, AND ALSO TO EXAMINE URGENTLY ALL REQUESTS
FOR ASSISTANCE MADE BY THE MALAGASY GOVERNMENT DURING THE PHASE
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OF RECOVERY AND RECONSTRUCTION , TAKING INTO ACCOUNT
THE SPECIAL PROGRAMME OF EMERGENCY MEASURES ADOPTED BY THE GENERAL
ASSEMBLY AT ITS SIXTH SPECIAL SESSION;

4. EXPRESSES THE HOPE THAT THE UNITED NATIONS DEVELOPMENT
PROGRAMME, THE INTERNATIONAL BANK FOR RECONSTRUCTION AND
DEVELOPMENT AND ALL THE OTHER INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS
WILL GIVE FAVOURABLE AND URGENT CONSIDERATION TO ALL REQUESTS
FOR ASSISTANCE WHICH THE MALAGASY GOVERNMENT MAY SUBMIT

UNDER ITS RECOVERY AND RECONSTRUCTION PROGRAMMES AND TO
THE REQUESTS FOR ASSISTANCE WHICH WILL ENABLE THE MALAGASY
GOVERNMENT, WITHIN THE FRAME WORK OF ITS DEVELOPMENT
PLANS, TO ADOPT MEASURES RELATING TO PROGRAMMES FOR DISASTER
RELIEF AND PROTECTION;

5. REQUESTS THE SECRETARY GENERAL TO SUBMIT A REPORT
ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THIS RESOLUTION TO THE ECONOMIC
AND SOCIAL COUNCIL AT ITS SIXTY-SECOND SESSION.

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